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STaR Team Bulletin No. 5 (FY09) – New SAIS Requirements for Special Education and ELL posted to the *SAIS Information Series*  
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The *SAIS Information Series* on the STaR Team website has been updated.

- Document 29 – [New SAIS Requirements for SPED – Fiscal Year 2009](#)
- Document 30 – [New SAIS Requirements for ELL – Fiscal Year 2009](#)
- Document 25 – [SAIS Related ELL Student Assessment Rules – Fiscal Year 2009](#)

These documents provide detail regarding changes in SAIS relating to SAIS data collection for students who participate in Special Education and English Language Learner programs that were announced and discussed during the STaR Team workshop titled “Preparing for Fiscal Year 2009” held during May and June 2008. Additionally, information is included in Document 30 regarding the recent decision to disable SAIS Transaction 17 – “Student Assessment” from FY 2009 forward and instead, enable Pearson Educational Measurement to submit assessment results directly to ADE.

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